

try the same as
word. Results follow.

SELLING OUT TO QUIT BUSINESS

Riding post haste on the highways of enthusiasm came the orders from THE SMITH SHOERY headquarters to turn the Fifteen Thousand pair of High-grade Shoes at the CONNELLSVILLE STORE into cash at once no matter what the loss may be.

SO HERE SHE GOES!

Men's Shoes, Women's Shoes, Boys' Shoes, Girls' Shoes, Dress Shoes, Work Shoes, Arctics, Felt Boots, Waterproof Shoes, Warm Lined Shoes, Felt Shoes, Cloth Shoes, Common Sense Shoes and all kinds of Shoes, Boots and Slippers that you can think of to be closed out. Hundreds and hundreds of pairs loaded on large racks, all priced and tagged so that everyone can pick out their sizes and see the prices and buy all they want. Prices run as follows:

5c, 19c, 29c, 39c, 48c, 69c, 89c, 98c, \$1.19, \$1.48, \$1.69, \$1.98, \$2.48, \$2.69, \$2.98, \$3.48, \$3.69, \$3.98 a pair, representing prices from 25c to \$6.00 a pair.

Fixtures for Sale - - - Store for Rent

Baby Shoes assorted colors, a pair only.....	5c	All Whittemore's Famous 10c Shoe Polish.....	4 1/2c	Men's 4-Buckle Arctics, high top, all sizes.....	98c	Women's \$2, \$3 and \$4 Lace Shoes, small sizes and broken lots.....	50c	Women's Button Shoes, patent colt and bright kid.....	69c	Men's Shoes—broken lots.....	\$1.48
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Sale! Two Stores---Two Floors; Upstairs and Downstairs---All High-Grade Dress Shoes on First Floor and Medium Priced and Serviceable Shoes in Basement.

**Sale Begins
Friday Morning
at 10 O'clock**

SMITH'S SHOERY

126 South Pittsburg Street, near the
Old Postoffice Stand

STORES IN THREE STATES

CONNELLSVILLE
will begin to howl with Low
Priced Shoes
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20,
AT 10 O'CLOCK

Remember THESE SHOES CANNOT BE BOUGHT BEFORE THIS SALE OPENS OR ONE MINUTE AFTER IT CLOSSES AT THESE PRICES, SO BE READY AND ACT QUICK WHEN THIS OPPORTUNITY IS THROWN OPEN TO YOU, AND DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE BEST IS ALL GONE, BUT GET RIGHT IN ON THE FIRST RUSH AND GET YOUR SHOES BEFORE SOMEONE GETS AHEAD OF YOU AND GET WHAT YOU ARE ENTITLED TO.

Something for Nothing

You have heard it said: "You can't get something for nothing." But we will give you S. & H. Green Trading Stamps FREE if you pay your bill every two weeks, and sell you groceries as cheap as any other store in town.

1 Can of Tins Brand Blackberries.....	15c	1 Doz. of Milk Pickles.....	10c
1 Doz. Tins Brand Eggs.....	35c	8 Cakes of Lenox Soap.....	25c
1 Large Sack of New Century Flour.....	\$1.35	10 Cakes Silver Glass Soap.....	25c
1 Can Pumpkin.....	25c	6 Cans of Milk.....	25c
1 Can Beans.....	25c	1 Can Borden's Eagle Brand Milk.....	15c
1 Can Ham.....	25c	3 Boxes of Matches.....	10c
1 Can Pork.....	25c	8 Pat. Mackerel.....	25c
1 Large Can Tomatoes.....	35c	3 Bottles of Catsup.....	25c
1 Can of Apples.....	20c	3 Dozen Sweet or Sour Pickles.....	25c
2 Cans of Peaches.....	25c	1 Can of Borden's Scrambled Eggs.....	15c
2 Cans of Beans.....	25c		
2 Cans of Salmon.....	25c		

J. M. YOUNG
South Side Grocer
BOTH PHONE 3.

News From Nearby Towns.

ROCKWOOD. Feb. 18. The report of the Rockwood schools for the fifth month of the present term holds the following record: Average attendance 47, percentage 94, present every day 25.
Grade No. 1, Lucy Shober, teacher. Enrolled 41, average attendance 42, percentage 92, present every day 19.
Grade No. 2, E. D. Snyder, teacher. Enrolled 41, average attendance 41, percentage 91, present every day 18.
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Grade No. 8, E. D. Snyder, teacher. Enrolled 41, average attendance 41, percentage 91, present every day 18.
Grade No. 9, E. D. Snyder, teacher. Enrolled 41, average attendance 41, percentage 91, present every day 18.
Grade No. 10, E. D. Snyder, teacher. Enrolled 41, average attendance 41, percentage 91, present every day 18.
The totals for the entire school are: Enrolled 414, average attendance 41, percentage 91, present every day 18.

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Yours very truly,
J. T. Taylor.
Elkton, Va., R. F. D.

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

WEEK OF HITS—SPECIAL FEATURE
J. ALBERT HALL & COMPANY

Present the Greatest Travesty.
"KID HAMLET"

By James Moran.
Five People and a Positive Hit.

HILDA PATTERSON
Swedish Novelty Violinist Showing Scenery of Her Home on the Island of Wisby.

HARRY CRAWFORD
That Lanky Comedian.
YOU WILL LIKE THIS BILL.

NEXT WEEK—THE BIG WEEK.
First Half—Gilbert Opera Company—12 People
In Pinafore and Mascot.

Last Half—Little Miss Princess—10 People
Dandy Musical Comedy Company.
BOTH BIG HITS.

Lost—A pair of spectacles. Finder please return to Wilson & Washart.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. John Washart of Connelldale, were calling in Uniontown Wednesday.

Joseph Keger, umbrella maker of Greensburg, was a business caller here yesterday.

J. J. Delacoll of Connelldale, was transacting business here yesterday.

Miss Margaret Hishenberger visited at Mount Brookside yesterday.

Lee Palmer, a returned missionary, will preach in the Presbyterian Church this evening. A cordial invitation to all.

Mrs. E. B. Gine spent Wednesday on the West Side, Connelldale, visiting her sister who is ill.

C. D. Kindall, who has been suffering with blood poisoning, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ramsey and daughters, Mayne and Elvin, of Mount Washington, were the guests of relatives and friends here yesterday.

DICKERSON RUN, Feb. 19.—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beatty have returned to their home at West Side, Connelldale, after a very pleasant visit here with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Beatty.

Carl Boyd has returned to his work at Brownsville, after a few days' visit here with his mother, Mrs. C. Boyd.

The Daily Courier.

Entered as second class matter at the postoffice, Connelville, Pa., May 1, 1907.

THE COURIER COMPANY,
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BUSINESS OFFICE, JOB AND CIRCULATION DEPARTMENTS, Bldg. 12,
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STANDARD.
DAILY, \$1.00 per year, 10 per copy.
WEEKLY, \$1.00 per year, 10 per copy.
PAY NO MONEY to carriers, but only to collectors with proper credentials in the delivery of The Courier to houses by the carriers in Connelville or our agents in other towns should be reported to this office at once.

ADVERTISING.
THE DAILY COURIER is the only daily newspaper in the Connelville coke region which has the honesty and courage to print a daily report under the name of the Connelville coke region. It is the only daily newspaper in the Connelville coke region which has the honesty and courage to print a daily report under the name of the Connelville coke region. It is the only daily newspaper in the Connelville coke region which has the honesty and courage to print a daily report under the name of the Connelville coke region.

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SWITCHING CHARGES.

The coke operators of the Connelville region had their inings when the Interstate Commerce Commission, on their complaint, forced the railroads to reduce the freight rates on coke, and the railroads are now having their inings by the uncollected permission of the commission to make a reasonable charge against the coke operators and all other shippers for switching cars into and upon private sidings and railway systems. It is estimated that the revenue from this source in the Connelville coke region will be a long way toward compensating the railroads for their application for a 25% horizontal increase in freight rates is eventually denied. The Interstate Commerce Commission has indicated to the railroads that before the rate increase is seriously considered all discriminations such as the Connelville coke operators and all other shippers for switching cars into and upon private sidings and railway systems. It is estimated that the revenue from this source in the Connelville coke region will be a long way toward compensating the railroads for their application for a 25% horizontal increase in freight rates is eventually denied. The Interstate Commerce Commission has indicated to the railroads that before the rate increase is seriously considered all discriminations such as the Connelville coke operators and all other shippers for switching cars into and upon private sidings and railway systems.

The Connelville coke operators should meet this situation philosophically. After all, the coke operators are already preparing to pass it along by announcing that quotations on contract coke will be withdrawn until the charges for spotting service has been fixed. In future, to all intents, the railroads should expect that charge as promptly as possible.

STEEL AND COKE.

Commenting on the fine showing made by the Cambria Steel Company in its last annual report, the Johnstown Leader says: "It is doubtful if any other steel corporation in the country has as much as the value of its securities as has Cambria. In times past its resources might have been 'milked,' and probably its stockholders of the present might have been greatly pleased, but the stock, too, would have been killed far beyond any recovery possible. But instead, with its cooperation was never neglected, its resources were husbanded, and others were laid for the future, the fruits of which are now being reaped and will continue to come for many years."

The Cambria Steel Company was the first steel company to come into the Connelville region and make its own coke. It would probably have never discontinued business in the Connelville region if the Connelville coke operators had always demanded a fair price for their product. But so frequently it was more than willing to buy coke in the market than to make it on the ground that the coke company abandoned the region when its coal was worked out. Therefore, are not looking that the Cambria Steel Company is thinking only of coming back to the Connelville region and resuming the production of coke. It is true, there is but one explanation, namely, that the Connelville coke business is no longer a gift enterprise.

A FEW RAW FACTS.
The rainbow printers of the Democratic press are making fanciful pictures of prosperity for political purposes while denouncing as dangerous democratic newspapers which tell half the truth in the regular course of news-gathering and dissemination.

Newspapers which have the good of the country and community at heart, do not need to be forced into the position of being purveyors of unwelcome news of having themselves to the charge of being penny-ante croakers. Hence most of them put the best possible face on the situation. The Johnstown Herald is evidently of the opinion that the raw truth is sometimes good for some people. It sums up the present situation as follows:

We've got a new tariff, but the promise of lower prices on the necessities of life has gone up the spout.
We've got a new currency bill which will result in the very apparent absence of enough currency to pay bread for the families of the wage earners.
We've got Reform in burn and use of dead coke ovens in which to live.
We've got one-eighth coke with about as much demand for it as there would be for linen yarn in the vicinity of Medicine Hat.
In the meantime we are getting a lot of fun out of the superlatively exaggerated reports which we have to sit up and the increased taxes

which we have to pay and the thousand and one other things which the paternalistic government is forcing upon us.
Except the reformers everybody is grumbling. The country is sick; sick of nothing so much as bad medicine, fake cures, stupid panaceas.

And the worst of it is that business will have to wait while the humbugs have the floor.
There is such a thing as mixing politics with business, and they were never worse mixed for business than they are right now. Business in this case means national prosperity and common welfare. The Democrats felt it political duty to change the existing order of things, and they have changed them for worse and not for better. The sooner the country faces about and returns to Republican management and Republican policies the better it will be off.

This may be politics. Trust the Democratic organs to call it that. But it's something more. It's business, too.

AMBIASSADOR MESTREZAT.

Speaking of the possible appointment of Justice Mestrezat to the diplomatic service, the Somerset Herald, Frederic organ, says:
"Justice Mestrezat was in Washington the other day and had a talk with President Wilson on Pennsylvania politics and it is since reported that he has been proffered an ambassadorship. The Justice is a resident of Fayette county and is highly esteemed as a jurist, and since the President will not send any but Democrats abroad we would as leave him and send Justice Mestrezat to Russia or France as anywhere."

On this point, Republican sentiment of all shades can agree.

FREIGHT AND PASSENGERS.

The regulation of the railroads has reduced freight tariffs in various lines to the gratification of certain special interests, but its effect upon the traveling public has been less gratifying.
There is a noticeable falling off in the convenience and comforts of travel as compared with former days. The pride of railroad management was formerly expressed in its gorgeous passenger equipment, but, alas, the railroads have obtained railroad managers to give first consideration to freight traffic, the greatest source of revenue.

"A green pup with yellow spots has been found over at Uniontown. But Deney O'Neil has not yet had a chance at those Uniontown people, and they may not be seeing as they should," says the Greensburg Tribune. Must be some mistake about this. Everybody in Uniontown belongs to George Tillow's Mountain Water Club.

The pig iron production of 1913 was the greatest in history. It was a better year for making iron than for making profits.

Major Jim Laird, the veteran Greensburg citizen, has taken unto himself a wife. More power to the major.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

One Cent a Word.
No Advertisement for Less Than 15 Cents.
Classified columns close at noon. Advertisements for wants, sales, etc., received after that hour will not appear until the day following.

Wanted.

WANTED—YOUR BARBERING BUSINESS. BENJAMIN. 17feb21-eod

WANTED—ROLL TOP DESK FOR several months. State rental. BOX 281, Connelville. 17feb21-eod

WANTED—WORK IN FAMILY OR washing by woman. Address "WORK-ER," care The Courier. 17feb21-eod

WANTED—EXPERIENCED ADULTER wants several small sets of books to keep. Address BOX 538, Connelville. 17feb21-eod

WANTED—ONE HORSE. POWER motor at once, second hand preferred. Write or call 321 N. Pittsburg street, Connelville, Pa. 17feb21-eod

Abe Martin.



Th' fellow who's prominent enough 't be criticized is pretty well dead. A failure must have a hard time 'tracin' his downfall in a dry town.

OUR TIME, knowledge and experience in the printing business.
When you are in need of something in this line
DON'T FORGET THIS

Wanted.
WANTED—YOU TO KNOW THAT we do developing and printing at low prices and prompt delivery. 124 West Apple street. ARTHUR PETERSON. 17feb21-eod

WANTED—LIGHT OUTSIDE WORK by able office man, 30 years old, who must get outside on account of health. Address BOX 294, Connelville. 17feb21-eod

WANTED—YOU TO SEND US ONE roll of film 4 or 12 exposure, and we will develop and print you 12 post cards for 50 cents. ARTHUR PETERSON. 17feb21-eod

For Rent.
FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM, 211 E. MAIN STREET. 14feb98d

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM for light housekeeping, 801 S. POUL ST. 17feb98d

FOR RENT—ONE FURNISHED room, 110 CARNegie AVENUE. 17feb98d

FOR RENT—ROOM PLAT, BATH and Kns, 102 F. PAYETTE ST. 17feb98d

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE, North Cottage avenue, \$12.00. KALIS BANK. 17feb98d

FOR RENT—ROOM AND BOARD, gentleman only. Apply 124 WEST Apple St. 17feb98d

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM, central city, bath, \$5.00. 17feb98d

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS IN Y. M. C. A. dormitory. Gymnasium, swimming pool and club room privileges. \$2.00 a week. 27feb98d

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE on West Side. All modern improvements. Apply to J. H. SEELEY'S OFFICE, Mail Phone 1121. 27feb98d

FOR RENT—TWO SIX ROOM PLATS with bath. All conveniences. Also storage room on Main Street. Apply CLAUDE D. ANDERSON, 502 N. Tri-State Phone. 17feb98d

For Sale.

FOR SALE—TWO ACRES LOTS East End, Connelville. Inquire ALBERT WAGNER. 17feb98d

FOR SALE—SEWING MACHINE, good as new. MRS. JOHN C. B. NICHOLSON, Seaside, Pa. 20jan17d

FOR SALE—SOUTH CONNELLSVILLE lots. Convenient, cheap easy terms. Inquire at THE COURIER OFFICE. 17feb98d

FOR SALE—TWO CORNER LOTS East End, Connelville. Will sell for small sum. L. W. NICHOLSON, Seaside, Pa. 17feb98d

FOR SALE—NINETY BUILT A ROOM modern house located on paved street, two minutes walk from trolley. Terms reasonable. Address "M" care Courier. 17feb98d

FOR SALE—AT PAR—PREFERRED stock of the International Educational Publishing Co. dividends. For particulars address "STOCK" care Courier. 17feb98d

FOR SALE—YOUNG CRYSTAL ICE & Storage. Call on or write the Connelville Ice and National Bank Building, Connelville, Pa. 20jan17d

FOR SALE—ACRES OF UPPER Property, 4.40 acre. Close to town. Can be had very cheap. Considering the location. Address J. J. care of The Courier, Connelville, Pa. 17feb98d

FOR SALE—IF YOU HAVE AN orchard let us prove that you can pack and ship a Niagara chile from every fertile acre. Details free. MURPHY MIN. CO., Erie, Pa. N. Y. 17feb98d

FOR SALE—NEW FRAME HOUSE, six rooms, reception hall and bath. Electric light and water. Located on a beautiful lot. Price \$2,200.00. Attractive terms. BOB NORRIS. 17feb98d-eod

FOR SALE—ONE SIX ROOMED double frame dwelling. Each side equipped with bath. In every room for light and heat, wired for electric light. Corner location. Price \$4,000.00. Rents from \$25 to \$40 a month. Address B. O. Box 755, Connelville. 17feb98d

Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGES at 6 per cent. GOLDSMITH INSURANCE AGENCY. 14feb-eod131

Administrator's Notice.

ESTATE OF MILLIE WORK, late of Dunbar township, Fayette county, Pa., deceased. Letters of administration on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them, properly authenticated, for settlement. S. H. GOLDSMITH, Administrator, Connelville, Pa. 17feb98d

Divorce Notice.

George B. Jeffries, Attorney.
CARRIE B. HALWARD Logan, in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., No. 29 June Term, 1913. To Halward Logan, respondent, you are hereby notified that the subpoena and alias subpoena in this case having been returned "Non est inventus," you are therefore required to appear in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., on the third Monday of March of said court, A. D. 1914, to answer the libel and complaint filed therein and show cause, if any you have, why a divorce from the bonds of matrimony should not be granted. The libellant above named is MARY A. KIEFER, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, February 18, 1914. 16feb21-mar9-13

Notice to Contractors.

SEALERS BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Controller of Fayette county at his office at Uniontown until 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, February 28, 1914, for the construction of a bridge, two hundred thirty-five and five-tenths (235.5) feet of brick road with concrete curb in Jefferson township, beginning on the road leading from Fayette City to Brownsville at a point at the end of the road now being constructed, and extending towards Brownsville to a point on the bridge crossing the Redstone Creek near Brownsville Junction.

Plans and specifications for the construction of the above road are on file at the Commissioners' Office and the County Road Engineer's Office in the Court House. All bids must absolutely specify the time when the contractor will complete the work.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved. THOS. H. HUDSON, County Solicitor. 16feb14-15-25

INSURANCE.

By GEORGE FITCH,

Author of "At Good Old Slawch."

Insurance is the only way of getting even a partial laugh on Death. It is also a way of making Death earn more for a family than the late lamented ever could. Man has a wholesome fear of Death and is supposed to be weak and helpless in his presence. Yet the ingenuity of man has harnessed Death in many cases and has made it a wage-earner for thousands of families.

Death comes stealthily by day or night and bears off victims without consulting any one's inclination in the matter. Death leaves no room for man on the shoulder without warning and say "come on." But while the man goes on his insurance policy stays behind and sticketh closer than a brother or a hundred admiring friends. Many a man has left a hundred relatives in this luxurious vain and has gone on and worried because he fears his widow will not be able to command high wages over the wash tub. But the man who leaves a \$10,000 insurance policy in a cool dry place while he goes on his way, leaves a legacy to his own future. The insurance policy will get up early in the morning after the funeral and take care of the family with striking success.

Insurance is sold by bland, quiet men who could talk a Democrat into voting for high tariff and a freemason into supporting the wishes of the purchaser. Paying premiums on a life insurance policy is about the lowest form of entertainment next to having teeth filled. Many a strong young man has declined to pay out the equivalent of a thousand good cigars each year for a fortune which he would have

to die to collect; but later on in life, when he is spavined and rickety and the insurance agents pass hastily by on the other side of the street, he becomes penitent and worried, and still later when every bone has an aches of its own and the grim reaper is knocking up his myths on the other side of the door, he wonders, with



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the bitterness, how long his life savings of \$12.45 will support the sorrowing widow in affluence. Then he dies and although he has never taken out a policy the loss is reported above as "fully covered by insurance."

One of the easiest ways to secure sorrow in one's demise is to become a total loss with no salvage.

DIVIDENDS FOR YOU

This newspaper is like a coupon bond that carries dividends for you.

The coupons are the advertisements which offer you opportunities.

You do not in a literal sense, have to do any shopping. All you have to do is to read and keep yourself posted, take what you want, and leave the rest.

Reading the advertisements commits you to nothing. It merely tells you what is being offered.

When you buy you naturally want to get your money's worth. You want to buy the thing that

will serve you best and you want to pay the lowest market price.

The advertisements spread before you each day the business news.

You are part of the service you pay for when you buy this newspaper.

You are not getting the full worth out of your newspaper unless you keep posted on what it has to say in its advertising columns.

Incidentally some of the advertisements are so well illustrated and written that they are better reading than the news.

The Season's First Showing of

Ladies Waists

In Beautiful Lingerie Styles.

The woman who wishes to take advantage of the new styles for spring will find the up-to-date ideas in our showing of Ladies' Waists at this store in a moderate range of prices. These are in dainty lingerie, voile and all-over materials, with short or long sleeves, high or low necks, and beautifully designed. Some show exclusive touches of hand embroidery in white and colors, and some have vest effects. In all they are an unusual collection in every size and popular price. \$2.50 to \$6.00

Jewelry Novelties.

Many of the new ideas shown in this department are necessary in carrying out the new spring styles. Decollete Pins in the lucky bluebird and bar styles, with or without settings, Lingerie Pins (a new idea), Friendship Pins, new Hat Pins, Vanity Cases and Mesh Bags, Beads of every kind and description, Shell and Jeweled Hair Pins, and many other effects in keeping with the season. Not expensive, but marked at department store prices.

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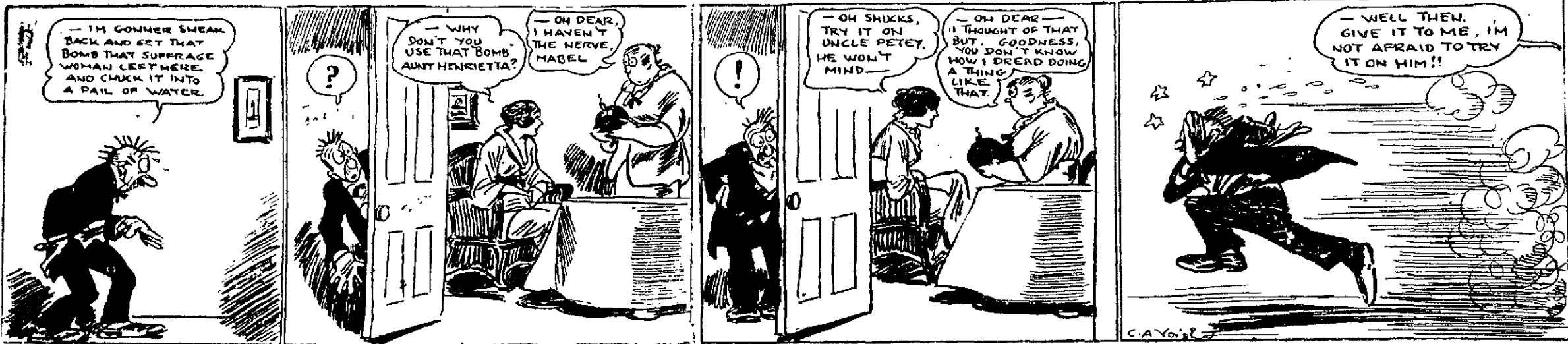
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COKE PRICES ARE STRONGER

Odd Lots of Spot Sell at \$1.90, but \$2.00 is Base on Standard Coke; Foundry Coke in Moderate Demand; Pig Iron Market Turns to Seller

From The Weekly Courier.

MIDDLETOWN, Feb. 18.—A number of small lots of prompt furnace coke have been made in the past week at an average price of about \$1.90, but it is asserted that for any considerable tonnage \$2.00 would have to be paid. The inquiry for spot has been very light and has been readily supplied by occasional odd lots that developed. While there has been very little open inquiry two or three consumers have been sounding the market for prompt and February delivery, as well as March, and they do not seem to have secured any quotations on a really standard coke at less than \$2.00.

While the trade has not been able to secure full details, it is an established fact that two sales of furnace coke have been made for second quarter delivery at prices higher than \$2.00. Rumor has it that one of the sales was at \$2.10 and the other at a still higher figure. The total tonnage involved in the two sales probably lies between 2,000 and 3,000 tons. The inquiry surrounding the transactions has occasioned doubt in some quarters whether the sales were actually made, but it can be stated with confidence that the business was done, and the explanation of the circumstances is that the material involved was especially selected coke, though technically it could be called standard grade, the buyers being especially particular as to quality. It does not follow that the market has developed into a position where the selling price is fixed with the necessity of paying above \$2 for second quarter, but it seems to be well established that there is no really standard grade coke available for extended delivery at less than \$2.00. The market quotations this week lay 19 cents to a range of \$2 to \$2.10.

Furnace coke has been selling in a moderate way at an average of \$2.00, there being occasional sales at 19 or 15 cents less, while some brands are held at \$2.50 or higher. The market stands quotable as follows:

Second quarter . . . \$2.00
Prompt furnace . . . \$2.00
Prompt foundry . . . \$2.00
Contract foundry . . . \$2.00

Before the close of January the pig iron market turned favorable to the seller, and each week since then has given it added strength, although the progress has been very irregular. The past week showed two developments, the first being a sale of Bessemer which established the market on the higher basis the furnace had been asking, while the second was that a large quantity of iron which had been entered the market for April to December delivery found the furnace no reserved about selling for second but that it confined its purchases to second and quarter delivery.

In the Bessemer transaction the Republic Iron & Steel Company was the buyer, taking 10,000 tons for prompt shipment from the Erie Hill Steel Company, at \$14.75, furnace. The other business involved the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company, which took a total of 10,000 tons for delivery to its Cleveland and Allegheny plants, paying about \$11.25, delivered, for the Cleveland iron, and about \$14.75, delivered, for the Pittsburgh iron.

In most quarters it is believed the large pig iron consumers are now fairly well covered to July 1, on the basis of the consumption remaining at approximately the present rate. The furnaces are sold up in almost all portions of the country, and it is a wonder if there is any considerable increase in the rate of consumption the furnaces now in operation will be unable to take care of it. At the present time there are no signs of any additional plant furnaces being put into the furnace, and the only tributary to Connellsville coke.

Penny News Land
Further delay in the double track of the Pennsylvania railroad season division has been caused by the failure of the company to negotiate with owners of the property required for the undertaking.

Grade Crossings to Go.
The Pennsylvania is after bids for eliminating grade crossings in Johnstown.

THE STEEL MARKET HINGES ON EARLY SPRING BUYING

Would Tide Over Dull Period Which is Already Being Felt.
Pig Iron Stronger.

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—The American Iron & Steel Institute's report on the steel situation tomorrow as follows:
New business in the form of contracts for steel products has considerably diminished, a perfectly natural sequel to the heavy buying of January and the price advances which occurred at the beginning of February. The volume of specifications being received is large, and in some lines there is a marked increase over January, tubular goods being an example of such improvement.

The steel mills are slowly increasing their operations, on the basis of specifications in hand, and the average of all steel mills is now close to 70 per cent of full capacity.
The keenest observers declare the market's future hinges upon whether spring buying will come soon enough to prevent the mills from losing the effects of the fall in new buying now retarded, the question of railroad buying being of course an important one. The further suspension of the rate advance since September 12th is simply a case of the Interstate Commerce Commission taking advantage of the full time allowed by the law, and is not judged to indicate that the decision will be rendered at anything like so late a date. Railroad buying has not ceased, and indeed the placing of orders for 15,000 cars in three weeks represents a full percent.

The pig iron market in the Central West has turned slightly stronger. The Republic Iron & Steel Company has purchased 10,000 tons of its common at \$14.75, an advance over what could be made a fortnight ago, and the Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company has bought pig iron for second quarter only, its inquiry for second half being dropped because the furnace are asked to quote. The majority of large consumers of pig iron are covered to July 1st.
Bills and short bars are firm at recently advanced prices, but as consumers are covered at least to April, the market is quiet.

Connellsville coke shows a slightly stronger tone, and some sales of particularly good grade have been made at above \$2.00.

DOMESTIC COKE

Principal Product of New Plants of Saint Louis Gas Companies.
The gas interests of Saint Louis are preparing to revolutionize their method of producing coke. They have been out for the purpose of producing gas coke being an indifferent by-product. The new plants reverse this policy.

The Laclede company has just completed a plant which has a capacity of 20 tons of coke and \$900,000 worth of gas, and is now working on an immense coke plant which will cost \$1,000,000. The latter will be composed of the by-product gases which will be used for the domestic trade. It is expected that it will in a large measure supplant the use of coal and go a long way toward solving the city's smoke problem.

The Laclede Gas Company, it is reported, has contracted for the construction of the Consolidated Steel Company's 100,000-acre tract in the Eastern field.

INDIAN CREEK

INDIAN CREEK, Feb. 18.—H. C. Kripps and Jacob G. of near Mill Run, spent a short while here among friends last evening.
Miss Carrie D. Wagner of Evinston arrived here last evening to spend some time with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Habel.

Dr. Frank of Normalville, was here yesterday examining the school children.
Health Officer Hall of Normalville, was here today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hagan of Indian Creek are calling on Connellsville friends today.

Frank Kern of Dickerson Run, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kern of Mill Run. Wally Miller of Rogers Mill, is a business visitor at Connellsville today.

Mr. J. C. Green returned home last evening after spending a day with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Waller at Connellsville.

George Haring of Mount Braddock was here today looking after the interests of the W. J. Barney Coke company.

Mr. L. J. Trues of Connellsville, is paying the Indian Creek folks today on business.

Mr. J. C. Palmer is a business visitor at Connellsville today.

The Indian Creek valley received a line of break front today to be distributed along the mountain stream.

Two trucks have been restored at No. 1 out and all teams are making on their regular trucks. The steam shovel is still removing the big slide.

PERRYOPOLIS

PERRYOPOLIS, Feb. 18.—The Philomathean Literary Society will render the following Washington program on Friday afternoon: "Battle of the Republic," school, Scripture reading, secretary, Lord's Prayer, school, "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean," school, installation of new officers, inaugural address, Herman Duff, genealogy of the Washington family, Sylvia Hixenbaugh, biographies of Washington, Ruth Thordell, recitation, Edward Giffels, piano solo, Nina Carson, essay, "Colonial Life," Marie Snyder, current events, Henry Dappert, essay, "Martha Washington," Margaret Stickle, piano, duet, Lillie Belle Irwin and Fern Carson, "Character of Washington," John Thorpe, "Washington Commander-in-Chief," Clara Hixenbaugh, "Important Events in Washington's Administration," Sylvia Hixenbaugh, vocal solo, "Star Spangled Banner," Elvare Thorpe, recitation, Raymond Forwerth, "Washington's Farewell Address," Pearl Hixenbaugh, character sketch of Washington, Clara Belle Irwin, piano solo, Marie Snyder, debate, "Resolved, That Washington Was a Greater Man Than Lincoln," affirmative, Lela Irwin, and negative, Ralph Morrow, The Ohio Star, Elvare Thorpe, remarks, Professor Long, "America," school Mrs. John Lilly of Burns, Kan., after a visit of some weeks here left for a visit to her brother, Prof. D. C. and William Murphy of Ripley, Mo., after which she will return to her home in the west.

Dr. J. L. Cochran of Connellsville, was a professional caller in town yesterday.

Dr. S. Blair, George Murphy, Ned Smith, Isaac Lewis and J. K. Leisher of Star Junction, were town callers yesterday.

H. L. Roberts of Dawson, was in town yesterday transacting business. J. A. Downs of Connellsville, was a business caller here yesterday.

Paul Skelton has moved from town to the Arison farm.

Orland Mosser of Vanderhill, was a recent caller in town.

Alie Forstone of Victoria was a town caller yesterday.

Mrs. L. Eschman of Star Junction, was the guest of her sister Mrs. Howard Lynch yesterday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church is rehearsing daily for their entertainment Saturday evening.

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VANDERHILL

VANDERHILL, Feb. 18.—Chestor Queen of Middletown, was a business caller here yesterday.

Mrs. Angeline Martin was calling on friends and relatives in Connellsville Wednesday.

A skating party went from here to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barcklow Tuesday evening.

Went to Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McLaughlin a fine baby boy.

Quite a number here attended "Way Down East," at the Solomon on Tuesday afternoon and evening.

The Gypsy Work Club met yesterday at the home of Mrs. C. E. Arson at 12 o'clock a luncheon was served. The out of town guests were Mrs. Cook of Connellsville and Mrs. Beal of Littleton.

Mrs. W. E. Kelly was calling on friends in Connellsville yesterday.

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The Valiants of Virginia

By
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Rives

Old Post Whistle

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Something had crept into his tone that struck her with a strange sweet terror and tumult of mind. The hand that clutched her skirt about her knees had begun to tremble and she caught the other hand to her chest in a vague beseeching gesture. The moon flowers seemed to be great round eyes staring up at her.

"Shirley—" he said, and now his voice was shaken with longing—"will you make my happiness for me?"

She was standing perfectly still against the sun dial, both hands, laced together, against her breast, her eyes on his with a strange startled look. Over the hush of the garden now, like the very soul of the passionate night, thrummed the haunting barcarole of "Tales of Hoffmann."

"Night of stars and night of love—" an inarticulate echo of his longing. He took a step toward her, and she turned like one in sudden terror seeking a way of escape. But he caught her close in his arms.

"I love you!" he said. "Hear it now!"



Katharine's Heart Beat Fast and Then Stood Still. Sassoon!

In my bride's garden that I've made for you. I love you. I love you!"

For one instant she struggled. Then, slowly, her eyes turned to his, the sweet lips trembling, and something dawning deep in the dewy blue that turned all his heaving blood to quicksilver. "My darling!" he breathed, and their lips met.

In that delicious moment both had the sense of divine completion that comes only with love returned. For him there was but the woman in his arms, the one woman created for him as the foundation of the world. It was Kismet. For this fate had come to Virginia. For this fate had turned and twined a thousand ways. Through the riot of his senses, like a silver blade ran the legend of the calendar: "Every man carries his fate upon a ribbon about his neck." For her, something seemed to come from her soul with that kiss, some deep irrevocable thing, shy but fiercely strong, that had sprung to him at that lip-contact as keen to magnet. The foliage about him faded up in green light and the ground under her feet rose and fell like deep sea-waves.

She lifted her face to him. It was tender pale, but the light that burned in it was lit from the whitest altar-lips of southern girlhood. "Six weeks ago," she whispered, "you had never seen me!"

He held her crushed to him. She could feel his heart thudding madly. "I've always known you," he said. "I've seen you a thousand times. I saw you smiling to meet me down a cherry-blossomed lane in Kyoto. I've seen your eyes peering from behind a veil in India. I've heard your voice calling to me, through the padding canvas of the desert mirages. You are the dream I have gone searching always! Ah, Shirley, Shirley, Shirley!"

CHAPTER XXVI.

The Doctor Speaks.

While the vibrant strings hummed and sang through the roses, and the couples drifted on tireless and content, or blissfully "sat out" dances on the stairway, Katharine Fargo held her stately court no less gaily for the friendly doubt that was creeping over her spirit. She had been so certain of what would happen that evening that when her father's between fingers on the porch with Judge Chalmers and Doctor Southall had searched her at under a flag of truce, she had sent up to the right about, laughingly declining to depart before royalty. But number followed number, and the night in purple and gold had not passed again before her. Now the twilight cloak no longer flattered among the dancers and the white satin gown and sparkling coronal had disappeared. The end of the next "round dance" found her subsiding in the flower-banket alcove, suddenly distracted amid her secret's call.

At this moment that she saw, on the corridor from the garden, a missing couple.

It was not the faint flush on Shirley's cheek—that was not deep—nor was it his nearness to her, though they stood close, as lovers might. But there was in both their faces a something that resurgent conventionality had not had time to cover—a trembling reflection of that "light that never was, on sea or land"—which was like a death-kiss to what lay far deeper than Katharine's heart, her pride. She drew swiftly back, dismayed at the sudden verification, and for an instant her whole body chilled.

A craving for a glass of water had served its purpose a thousand times; as her cavalier solicitously departed to fetch the cooling draught, she rose, and carefully humming the refrain the music had just left off, sauntered lightly out by another door to the open air. A swift glance about her showed her she was unobserved and she stepped down to the grass and along the winding path to a bench at some distance in the shrubbery. Here the smiling mask slipped from her face and with a shiver she dropped her hot face in her hands.

There were no tears. The wave that was welling over her was one of bitter combustion. She had shot her bolt and missed—she, Katharine Fargo! For three years she had held John Valiant, romantically speaking in the hollow of her shapely hand. Now she had all but thrown herself at his feet—and he had turned away to this same-haired, vivid girl whom he had not known as many months!

Heavy footfalls all at once approached her—two men were coming from the house. There was the spitting crackle of a match, and as she peered out, its red flare lighted the massive face and floating hair of Major Bristow. His companion's face was in the shadow. She waited, thinking they would pass; but to her annoyance, when she looked again, they had seated themselves on a bench a few paces away.

To be found mooning in the shrubbery like a schoolgirl did not please her, but it seemed there was no recourse, and she had half arisen, when the major's gruff-voiced companion spoke a name that caused her to sit down abruptly.

"Bristow, Shirley's a magnificent girl."

"Finest in seven counties," agreed the major's son.

"Whom do you reckon she'll choose to marry?"

"Chilly Lusk, of course. The boy's been in love with her since they were in bibe. And he comes as near being it for her as anybody."

"Hampi!" said the other sardonically. "No man I ever saw was half good enough for a good woman. But good women marry just the same. It isn't Lusk. I used to think it would be, but I've got a pair of eyes in my head, if you haven't. It's young Valiant."

The pearl fan twisted in Katharine's fingers. What she had guessed was an open secret, then.

The major made an exclamation that had the effect of coming after a jaw dropped silence. "I—I never thought of that!"

The other resumed slowly, somewhat bitterly, it seemed to the girl listening. "If her mother was in love with Sassoon—"

Katharine's heart beat fast and then stood still. Sassoon! That was the name of the man Valiant's father had killed in that old duel of which Judge Chalmers had told. "If her mother—"

Shirley Dandridge's mother—"was in love with Sassoon!" Why?

"Was she?"

The major's query held a sharpness that seemed almost appeal. She was conscious that the other had looked about abruptly.

"I've always believed so, certainly. It she had loved Valiant, would she have thrown him over merely because he broke his promise not to be a party to a quarrel?"

"You think not?" said the major huskily.

"Not under the circumstances. Valiant was forced into it. No gentleman, at that day, could have declined the meeting. He could have explained it to Judith's satisfaction—a woman doesn't need much evidence to justify the man she's in love with. He must have written her—he couldn't have gone away without that—and if she had loved him, she would have called him back."

The major made no answer. Katharine saw a cigar fall unheeded upon the grass, where it lay glowing like a panther's eye.

The other had risen now, his stooped figure bulking in the moonlight. His voice sounded harsh and strained: "I loved Beauty Valiant," he said, "and his son is his son to me—but I have to think of Judith, too. She faints, Bristow, when she saw him. Shirley told me about it. Her mother has made her think it was the scent of the roses! He's his father's living image, and he's brought the past back with him. Every sound of his voice, every sight of his face, will be a separate stab! Oh, his mere presence will be enough for Judith to bear. But with her heart in the grave with Sassoon, what would love between Shirley and young Valiant mean to her? Think of it!"

He broke off, and there was a blank of silence, in which he turned with almost a sigh. Then Katharine saw him reach the bench with a single stride and drop his hand on the bow of the shoulder.

"Bristow!" he said brusquely. "You're ill!" This confounded philandering at your time of life—

The major's face looked ashy pale, but he got up with a laugh. "Not I," he said. "I was never better in my life! We've had our mouthful of air. Come on back to the house."

"Not much!" grunted the other. "I'm going where we both ought to have been hours ago." He threw away his cigar and stalked down the path into the darkness.

The major stood looking after him till he had disappeared, then suddenly dropped on the bench and covered his face. Something like a groan burst from him.

"My God!" he said, and his voice came to Katharine with a quaver of age and suffering—very different from the jovial accents of the ballroom—"If I were only sure it was Sassoon!"

Presently he rose, and went slowly toward the lighted doorway.

CHAPTER XXVII.

The Ambush.

Not long after, from the musician's box the sound of "Home, Sweet Home," drifted over the poignant rose-scent, and presently the driveway resounded to rolling wheels and the voices of negro drivers, and the house-entrance jostled with groups, muffled in loose carriage-wraps, silken cloaks and light overcoats, calling tired but laughing farewells.

Katharine, on the step, found herself looking into Valiant's eyes. "How can I tell you how much I have enjoyed it all?" she said. "I've stayed all the very last minute—which is something for one's fourth season! And now, goodbye, for we are off tomorrow for Hot Springs."

Her father had long ago belated himself homeward, and the big three-seated surrey—holding "six comfortable and nine funnillah," in the phrase of Lige the coachman—had returned for the rest: Judge Chalmers, the two younger girls and Shirley. Katharine greeted the latter with a charming smile. What more natural than that she should find herself straightway on the rear seat with royalty? The two girls safely disposed in the middle, the judge climbed up beside the driver, who cracked his whip and they were off.

The way was not long, and Katharine had need of dispatch if that revengeful weapon were to be used which fate had put into her hands. She wasted little time.

"It seems so strange," she said, "to find our host in such surroundings! I can scarcely believe him the same John Valiant I've danced with a hundred times in New York. He's been here such a short while and yet he couldn't possibly be more at home if he'd lived in Virginia always. And you all treat him as if he were quite one of yourselves."

Shirley smiled enchantingly. "Why, yes," she said, "maybe it seems odd to outsiders. But, you see, with us a Valiant is always a Valiant. No matter where he has lived, he's the son of his father and the master of Danmory court."

"That's the wonderful part of it. It's so—so English, somehow."

"Is it?" said Shirley. "I never thought of it. But perhaps it seems so. We have the old houses and the old names and think of them, no doubt, in the same way."

"What a sad life his father had!" pursued Katharine dreamily. "You know all about the duel, of course?"

Shirley shrank imperceptibly now. The subject touched Valiant so closely it seemed almost as if it belonged to him and to her alone—not a thing to be lightly touched on. "Yes," she said somewhat slowly, "every one here knows of it."

"No doubt it has been almost forgotten," the other continued, "but John's coming must naturally have revamped the old story. What was it about—the quarrel? A love-affair?"

"It's so long ago," murmured Shirley. "I suppose some one could tell if they would."

"Major Bristow, perhaps," conjectured Katharine thoughtfully.

"He was one of the seconds," admitted Shirley unhappily. "But by common consent that side of it wasn't talked of at the time. Men in Virginia have old-fashioned ideas about women."

"Ah, it's fine of them!" passed Katharine. "I can imagine the men who knew about that dreadful affair, in their southern chivalry, drawing a cordon of silence about the name of that girl with her broken heart. For if she loved one of the two, it must have been Sassoon—not Valiant, else he would have stayed. How terrible to see one's lover killed in such a way. It was quickly ended for him, but the poor woman was left to bear it all the years. I fancy she would never wholly get over it, never be able to forget him, though she tried."

Shirley made some reply that was lost in the whirling wheels. The other's words seemed almost an echo of what she herself had been thinking.

"Maybe she married after a while, too. A woman must make a life for herself, you know. If she lives here, it will be sad for her, this opening of the old wound by John's coming."

And looking so like his father—

Katharine paused. There was a kind of exhilaration in this subtle baiting.

Shirley stirred uneasily, and in the glimpsing light her face looked troubled. Katharine's voice had touched passion, and in spite of her distaste of the subject, Shirley had been entering into the feeling of that supposititious woman.

The judge, on the front seat, was telling a low-toned story over his shoulder for the delectation of Nancy and Betty, but Shirley was not listening. Her whole mind was full of what Katharine had been saying. She was picturing to herself this woman, her secret hidden all these years, bearing of John Valiant's coming to Danmory court, learning of this likeness, shivering from sight of it, dreading the painful memory it must thrust upon her.

"Suppose"—Katharine's voice was dreamy—"that she and John met suddenly, without warning. What would she do? Would she say anything? Perhaps she would faint."

Shirley started violently. Her hands, as they drew her cloak uncertainly about her, began to tremble, as if with cold. Something fell from them to the bottom of the surrey.

Through her chiffon veil Katharine noted this with a slow smile. It had been easier than she had thought. She said no more, and the carriage rolled on, to the accompaniment of giggles over the judge's peroration. As it neared the Rosewood lane she leaned toward Shirley.

"You have dropped your fan," said she—"and your gloves, too. I might have reached them for you. Why, we are there already. How short the drive has seemed!"

"Don't drive up the lane, Lige," said Shirley, and her voice seemed sharp and strange even to herself.

"The wheels would wake mother," Katharine bade her goodbye with careful sweetness, as the judge bundled her down in his strong friendly arms.

"No," she told him, "don't come with me. It's not a bit necessary. Emmaline will be waiting for me."

He climbed into her vacant place as the girls called their good nights. "Well, all sleep late enough in the morning, I reckon," he said with a laugh, "but it's been a great success!"

Emmaline was crouched in a chair in the hall, a rug thrown over her knees, in open-mouthed slumber. She started up at the touch of Shirley's hand, yawning widely.

"I declare to goodness," she muttered, "I was jes' fixin' to go to sleep!"

"I'm so tired, Emmaline. Take the crown. It's heavy."

The negro woman untangled the glittering points from the meshing hair with careful fingers. "Po' M' chickadee-dee!" she said lovingly.

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"Rock'n she top all 'a' fiddahs outer her wings. Glimme that o' tin crown—I like ter lam' it out th' winder! Come on, now; we go upstairs soft so's not ter 'sturb M's Judith."

In the silvery-blue bedroom, she deftly unfastened the hooks of the heavy satin gown and coaxed her mistress to lie on the sofa while she unplanned the masses of waving hair till they lay in a rich surge over the cushion. Then she brought a brush and with long gentle strokes to smooth out the silken threads, talking to her the while in a soft crooning monotone.

Under these ministrations Shirley lay languid and speechless, her eyes closed. The fear that had stricken her heart by turns seemed a cold hand pressing upon its beating and an alid vapor rising stealthily over it. But her hands were hot and her eyelids burned. Finally she roused herself.

"Thank you, Emmaline," she said in a tired voice, "good night now; I'm going to sleep, and you must go to bed, too."

But alone in the warm and dark, Shirley lay staring open-eyed at the ceiling. Slowly the terror was seeping upon her, the dread, noiseless and intangible, folding her in the shadow of its numbing wings. Was her mother the one over whom that old duel had been fought? She remembered the cape Jesseamine. Was the date of that duel—of the death of Sassoon—the anniversary her mother kept?

She sat up in bed, trembling. Then she rose, and opening the door with caution, crept down the stairs, sliding her hot hand before her along the cool polished banister. As she passed through the lower hall, a bound on the porch, seeming her, stirred, thumped his tail on the floor, and whined. Drooping her way to the dining-room, she lighted a candle and passed through a corridor into a low-ceilinged chamber employed as a general receptacle—a glorified garret, as Mrs. Dandridge dubbed it.

It showed a strange assemblage! A row of chests, stored with winter clothing, gave forth a clean pungent smell of cedar, and at one side stood an antique spinet and a worn set of horsehair furniture.

Shirley had turned her miserable eyes on a book-shelf along one wall. The volumes it contained had been her father's, and among them stood a row of tomes taller than their fellows—the bound numbers of a county newspaper, beginning before the war. The back of each was stamped with the year. She was deciphering these faded imprints. "Thirty years ago," she whispered; "yes, here it is."

She set down the candle and dragged out one of the huge leather-backed. Staggering under the weight, she rested its edge on the table and began feverishly to turn the pages, now himself to a sudden day-dream. A wonderful waking dream of joy over flooding years of ambitionless ease; of the Danmory Court that should be in days to come.

When he came from the little close there was a new mystery in the sunshine, a fresh and joyous meaning in the intense blue overarching of the unponderable sky. Every bird-note held its own love-secret. A wood-thrush sang it from a silver birch beside the summer-house, and a bob-white whistled it in the little ruffery beyond. Even the long triphammer of a far-away woodpecker beat a radiant tattoo.

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"Oh, God," she whispered, "just when I was so happy! Oh, mother, mother! You loved him, and your heart broke when he died. It was Valiant who broke it—Valiant—Valiant. His father!"

She slipped down upon the bare floor and crouched there, shuddering and agonized, her disheveled hair wet with tears. Was her love to be but the thing of an hour, a single clasp—and then, forever, nothing? His father's deed was not his fault. Yet how could she love a man whose every feature brought a pang to that mother she loved more than herself? So, over and over, the wheel of her thought turned in the same desolate groove, and over and over the paroxysms of grief and longing submerged her.

Not less as she had descended, she crept again up the stairs. As she passed her mother's door, she paused a moment, and laying her arms out across it, pressed her lips to the dark grain of the wood.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

The Awakening.

The sun had passed the meridian next day when Valiant awoke, from a sleep as deep as Aton ben Adhem's, yet one crowded with flying timesteps. The one great feat of Shirley's love had lain at the core of all these honied images, and his mind was full of it as his eyes opened, wide all at once, to the new day.

He looked at his watch and rolled from the bed with a laugh. "Past twelve!" he exclaimed. "Good heavens! What about all the work I had laid out for today?"

Presently he was splashing in the lake, shooting under his curved hand unerring jets of water at Chum, who danced about the rim barking, now venturing to wet a valorous paw, now scrambling up the bank to escape the watery javelins.

Valiant came up the terraces with his blood bounding to a new rapture. Crossing the garden, he ran quickly to the little close which held the sundial and pulled a single great passion-flower. He stood a moment holding it to his face, his nostrils catching its faint elusive perfume. Only last night, under the moon, he had stood there with Shirley in his arms. A rush of the unbelievable sweetness of that moment poured over him. His face softened.

Standing with his sandaled feet deep in the white blossoms, the sun on his damp hair and the loose robe clinging to his wet limbs, he gave himself to a sudden day-dream. A wonderful waking dream of joy over flooding years of ambitionless ease; of the Danmory Court that should be in days to come.

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The sun, rising red out of the Pacific Ocean—a geographical phenomenon that never fails to interest and perplex tourists—is barred by the slender lines, or veiled by the broad sails of innumerable vapors beating down to Panama with strange exotic products for the market. Every day is market day at Panama, but the crowded little open-air mart is seen at its best at a Saturday or Sunday in early morning. All night long the native boats mostly carrying brown out of a single lot, sometimes of many lots, and often as much as 15 feet long, and with a summer rig, have been drifting in, captivated by the never failing trade. They come from the Bay of Panama, from Chiriqui, from the Gulf of San Miguel and from the Bay of San Blas Indians. Great numbers of these latter, veritable Vikings of the tropic, driving the big canoes through sleeping gales, when the ocean steamer find it prudent to stay in port.

The market opens at dawn, and buyers are there almost as soon as the sellers, for early rising is the rule in the tropic. Along the sidewalks, on the curbs in the muddy roadway even, the diverse fruits and food products of the country are spread forth to tempt the robust appetites of those gathered about. Here is an Indian woman, the color of a coconut and wrinkled as to skin like a piece of Chinese crepe. Before her is spread out her stock, diverse and in some items curiously. Green peppers, tomatoes a little larger than a small plum, a cheese made of goat's milk and packed to about the consistency of Stilton, a few yams, yams, yams and yams, or two, and the more familiar stuff. Something shaped like a banana and wrapped in cloth husks, which she is carefully unwrapping.

What is it? "I've no idea," she says. "I mean what is it? What is it?"

In despair over my lack of this Spanish patois, I buy it and find a little native sugar, very moist and very dark, made up like a sausage, or a small corn husk. Other mysterious things turn out to be, however, which appear to be the result of a human hand. A curious purple fruit, the size of a large peach, with a skin like a banana and a fleshy looking pit about twice the size of a peachstone, the seedling, a plum-colored fruit with a mouthy interior, which, like the purple one, shows a star-like marking, and is sometimes called the star fruit. It is eaten with a spoon and is palatable. The named, however, like the purple one requires a specially trained palate.

The most people of a low order of intellect, the poorest of the natives, are seen in the slightest of humanly to doubt, and he is not to be taken for an intentional liar. Indeed he is too indolent to exert himself unless something is to be gained. But he never lets any thing go for the sufferings of an animal. His method of treating it. The animal, instead of being killed, which he does with a knife, is one of his chief victims. This animal is usually taken alive by hunters in order that he may undergo a preliminary training period before being committed to the pot. In captivity his condition is not pleasant to contemplate. Here at the market are eight or ten, living, palpitating, looking out on the strange world with eyes of wild misery. Their short legs are rigidly thrust out to keep them from falling, and the sharp claws on one foot are thrust through the fleshy part of the other so as to hold them together without other fastenings. A most of the animal is fully three feet tall and of that build, and it is not a little surprising length is useless for food, so the native child, chop it off with his machete, exposing the mutilated but living animal for sale.

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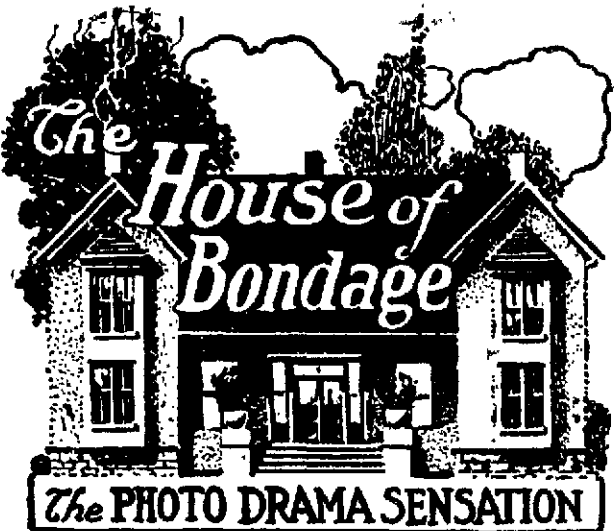
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